

# SAM UPDATE

2010 SAM Fall Forum - September 16, 2010

Site Assessment & Mitigation Program  
County of San Diego  
Department of Environmental Health



*"Improve Opportunities for Children, promote Strategies for Environmental Preservation and promote Safe and Livable Communities"*

# SAM Manual

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- The 2009 version of the SAM Manual is now available online:

[http://www.sdcountry.ca.gov/deh/water/sam\\_manual.html](http://www.sdcountry.ca.gov/deh/water/sam_manual.html)

- The manual is being updated on a section-by-section basis, primarily to bring it in line with present practice

# New Service Coming Soon !

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- ❑ SAM will be providing regulatory oversight for impacted properties through a new corrective action program delegated by DTSC
- ❑ Eligible sites will include facilities that have been issued hazardous material permits (excludes permit-by-rule facilities)
- ❑ Services will be fee-based
- ❑ Application has been submitted to DTSC and SAM is awaiting approval

# FEE ADJUSTMENTS

Effective 9/1/2010

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## ▣ Voluntary Assistance Program (VAP)

Initial Application Fee - \$1,420

Project Review and Oversight - \$142/hour

(unused hourly fees refunded upon case closure)

## ▣ Monitoring Well Program

Minimum Application Fee - \$200 (one boring)

one MW plus inspection fee = \$299

For Additional Line Item Fees, visit:

[MonitoringWells.DEH@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:MonitoringWells.DEH@sdcounty.ca.gov)

## ▣ New counter hours are 8:00am to 4:30pm



# GOING PAPERLESS !

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- Sometime soon, SAM will be accepting electronic submittals via Geotracker *in lieu of paper submittals*
- IMPORTANT!! Please notify the SAM case worker by email to confirm that the electronic submittal(s) have been uploaded to Geotracker; this will initiate the review period
- Letters issued by DEH-SAM will also be delivered electronically  
(case workers will have electronic signatures)
- SAM closed case files and monitoring well permits will be available online in 2012

# DEH IS MOVING !

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- ▣ SAM is moving to the County Operations Center at 5555 Overland Avenue (Kearny Mesa) on February 11, 2011
- ▣ Counter services will be available at the new facility
- ▣ File review will also be available







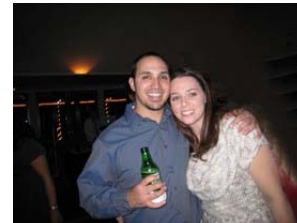
# SAM STAFFING CHANGES

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- Donn Lipera retired in April 2010



- Wes Rubio and student worker Brianna Johnson became engaged and moved out-of-state in August 2010



- Colleen Hines and Ed Paredes moved to SAM from the DEH Land Use Group

